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Interview Summary

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All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

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Date of Interview: _____.

Type: a) ☐ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference

c) ☒ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☒ applicant 2) ☒ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.

If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: Claim 1.

Identification of prior art discussed: _____.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Discussed proposed amendments for claim 1. The Examiner suggests that an RCE be filed for further consideration and search of the proposed amendments for claim 1.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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Proposed Amendment for proposed personal interview:

1. (Currently Amended) A service processing system comprising:

an instruction form creation server that creates an instruction form that instructs various modification processes to be executed on document data;

a plurality of service processors that execute the various modification processes on the document data in cooperation based on the instruction form, each of the service processors comprising:

a process part which obtains source data to be processed and executes a modification process ~~on~~ that modifies the source data based on the instruction form to generate processed data;

a backup storage part which stores the source data in relation to identifying information that identifies the process instructed in the instruction form; and

a control part which controls the backup storage part based on setting information in the instruction form which presets whether the source data should be stored in the backup storage part or not.

Remarks:

The applied references of U.S. Patent No. 6,128,619 to Fogarasai et al. and XX cannot reasonably be considered to teach a "modification process" as discussed on page 6, lines 3-6 of the Applicant's disclosure, as the references teach only retrieving the data without modifying any of the retrieved data.

The applied references of U.S. Patent No. 6,128,619 to Fogarasai et al. and XX cannot reasonably be considered to teach a "non-volatile storage" as discussed on page 6, lines 21-25 of the Applicant's disclosure, as the references teach only temporary local caching with no backup features of each process.